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A general assembly of the Iustices of the Peace
Sheweth the day of May in the year
soveraigne Lord James by the grace of God King of Eng,
Ireland, defender of the Faith, &c. and of Scotland the
there being present, William Wyllott Esq^r Justice
Duke Esq^r John Wyllott Esq^r & his Maiesities
and James James Esq^r of James Wyllott
Iustices of Peace of the said Countie James Wyllott
in the same Countie Alehouse-keeper, is admitted and allowed by the said Iustices to keepe
common Alehouse, or tipling house, in the house wherein he now dwelleth at James Wyllott
aforesaid, and not elsewhere in the said Countie. Provided alwayes that if the said James
shall not well and truly observe performe and keepe all and singuler the Articles hereafter men-
tioned, that then this licence shall presently cease and be void.

The Articles.

First that the said James Wyllott shall at the generall Sessions of the peace to be holden
for the sayde County of Essex next after the Feast of Easter next comming after the date of
these presents, or at the generall assembly of Iustices for that purpose, next after the said Generall
Sessions, where five Iustices at the least, whereof two of the Quorum, shall be present (if he shall so long continue
his Alehousekeeping) bring in this his Licence, there by the Iustices to be seene, & consideration by the to be had
whether he shall be found fit to stand or not. And if he shall be then found fit and allowed to continue for one whole
yeare longer: Then that he faile not yearly after at the said General Sessions of the peace, or such general assembly
of Iustices, (If he shall so long continue his Alehousekeeping) to present this his licence to the said Iustices to be allowed
or disallowed, as afore sayd.

2 Item, that he shall not permit or suffer any playing at the cards, dice, tables, quoites, leggets, scales,
bowles, or any other unlawfull game or games in his house, yard, garden or backside, but shall keepe good order
and rule in his sayd house.

3 Item, that he shall not harbour in his said house, barnes, stables, crotle or where any Rogues, Vagabonds,
sturdy beggers, Masterles men, or other suspected person or persons whatsoever.

4 Item, that he shall neither sel nor vtter any Beere, Ale, or other victuall vpon the Saboth day, or Holiday
during the time of diuine service or Sermon be it in the forenoone or after noone.

5 Item, that he shall neither dresse nor cause to be dressed, nor willingly suffer to be eaten in his said house, any
flesh in the time of Lent, or vpon any day now obserued as a fsh day.

6 Item, that he shall not suffer any person or persons other then his owne household seruants, to sel or vtter any
Beere, Ale, or other victuall in his said house by deputation, or by colour of his licence.

In witnes wherof the Common seale appointed for licenses for Alehousekeepers in the said Coun-
tie of Essex is to these presents set, Dated the day & yeare first aboue written.

James Wyllott